

## **PRESS RELEASE**

#10-022



## ATTEMPTED MURDER SUSPECT IN CUSTODY

HOLLISTER, CALIFORNIA – April 16, 2010– On April 10, 2010 The Riverside County Sheriff's Office arrested Matthew Lujan (25 yrs) for an attempted murder warrant obtained by The Hollister Police Department.

Hollister resident Matthew Lujan was wanted in connection to the stabbing of a victim at the Whiskey Creek Saloon on March 12, 2010. The Hollister Police Department obtained a \$500,000 warrant for his arrest on the charge of attempted murder. (See previous press release #10-017). Hollister Police Detectives received an anonymous tip regarding Lujan's whereabouts in unincorporated Indio, California.

Hollister Police Detectives coordinated with Riverside County Sheriff's Office and requested their assistance in serving the arrest warrant. Riverside County Sheriff Deputies arrested Lujan without incident on April 10, 2010. Lujan was transferred to San Benito County Jail on April 13, 2010 and is scheduled for a court appearance on May 4, 2010.

The Hollister Police Department would like to thank citizens that call with information and encourage others to assist in making our community a safer place.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is requested to contact Detective David Anderson at 636-4330. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call **WeTIP** at **(800) 78-CRIME**. Information provided to **WeTip** may qualify for a Reward.

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